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FILM UNWIND SYSTEM WITH HINGED SPINDLE AND

ELECTRONIC CONTROL OF WEB TENSION

## SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicants are enclosing an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) which lists the references cited in the enclosed International Search Report, dated October 22, 2004, issued for corresponding Appln. No. PCT/US2004/014423. A copy of the Search Report is being submitted, along with a copy of PCT Publication No. WO 2004/101252.

It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

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